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Mr. Matthew B. Madsen
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Moorestown, NJ 08057

Dear Mr. Madsen,

Subj: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA); CASE NUMBER
DON-NAVY-2020-005206

We are providing a response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of March 3, 2020, where you request "For the current (or recently-completed) solar project at Naval Weapons Station Earle, located on and around Drift Rd. & Hamilton Rd., Tinton Falls, NJ (Lease No. N40085-17-RP-00077), please provide copies of any and all certified payroll records prepared in connection with the solar project, including (but not limited to) the solar panel installation and electrical work performed by Huen Electric, CS Energy, and/or Ben Moreell Solar Farm."

After a thorough search of our files, it has been determined that the Naval Facilities Engineering Command has no payroll records from Huen Electric, CS Energy, or Ben Moreell Solar Farm. The Navy does not collect payroll records from Lessees.

The fees associated with the processing of your request are waived in this instance.

If you consider this response an adverse determination, you may appeal. Since you have created an account in FOIAonline, you may submit an appeal directly within this web-based system. To do this, you would log in to your account, retrieve your original request, and then click on the "Create Appeal" tab in the left-hand column. The basic information from your request will be duplicated for you, and then you can type in the basis of your appeal. If you prefer to use regular mail, you may submit an appeal to:

The Department of the Navy
Office of the General Counsel (ATTN: FOIA APPEALS)
1000 Navy Pentagon, Room 5A532
Washington, DC 20350-1000

Your appeal, if any, must be postmarked within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter and should include a copy of your initial request, a copy of this letter, and a statement indicating why you believe your appeal should be granted. For any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request, you have the right to contact the Department of the Navy FOIA Public

Liaison, Mr. Christopher Julka, at christopher.a.julka@navy.mil or (703) 697-0031. Additionally, you have the right to contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, MD 20740-01, ogis@nara.gov; (202) 741-5770; toll free at (877) 684-6448; or facsimile at (202) 741-5769.

Further questions regarding the action this office has taken may be directed to Abby Machalec, abby.machalec@navy.mil. Please refer to your FOIA case number DON-NAVY-2020-005206 whenever corresponding about this request.

Sincerely,

P.A. POLLOCK
By direction

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